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1. The Rheinmetall-Borsig plant in Hundsfeld (C52), near Wroclaw (Breslau), is now producing timing devices and high precision mechanisms for projectiles. Although the factory suffered heavy damage during the war and was partly dismantled by the Soviets in 1945, it has since been rebuilt and began operating again in June 1947. It employs both German and Polish workers.
2. The Vereinigte Portland-Zement works at Oppeln (J17), Upper Silesia, reached full capacity production early in the summer of 1947, after resuming operations in the spring of 1946. About sixty percent of the cement is said to go to the Russians. Both German and Polish workers are employed.
3. The Linke-Hoffmann plants at Wroclaw are working at full capacity, mainly on the repair of locomotives for the rail lines of Silesia and of Poland proper. Production of railroad cars began in June 1947, but has been hindered by a lack of skilled personnel. Repair on the plants, which were heavily damaged during the war, was completed in the fall of 1946, and operations were resumed with such machinery as the Russians left after a partial dismantling and with equipment brought from Poland.

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